#### COMMUNITY NEEDS ASSESSMENT

# Community Health Priorities 1997-98

# **Unhealthy Lifestyles of Youth**

The Community Health Council selected one problem from the list of health concerns to be addressed during the first project year. The community health priority selected was unhealthy lifestyles of youth. When selecting this priority for 1997-98, the Council worked through the entire sequence of interacting factors that contribute to each community health problem identified. Links between problems, barriers to effective intervention and the availability of resources were important considerations.

- API Council
- March of Dimes
- Resource Mothers
- CHAD
- Tennessee Dept. of Transportation
- Governor's Highway Safety Office
- Tennessee Highway Patrol
- National Highway Safety Administration
- University of Tennessee
- University of Memphis
- Schools
- Churches
- Tipton County Juvenile Court
- Tipton County Emergency Services
- Civic Clubs

### **Community Resources**

#### UNHEALTHY LIFESTYLES OF YOUTH

- Local Physicians
- Tipton County Health Dept.
- Regional Health Department
- Schools
- TN Department of Children's Services
- Churches
- Tipton County Juvenile Court
- Professional Counseling Services, Inc
- Genesis Treatment Center
- Children & Family Services, Inc.